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Enclosed please find the following:

- 1. Response to the June 8, 2005 Office Action.
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- 3. Check in the amount of \$1020.00 to cover Petition Fee.

Applicant hereby asserts that it is entitled to small entity status.

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